

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1659 - HB 1588

March 11, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes any veteran, or such veteran's surviving spouse, attorney-in-fact, personal representative or court appointed guardian, to request that the War Records Bureau redact the veteran's social security identification number from any official military records maintained and distributed by the Bureau. The Department of Veteran's Affairs shall approve the form to request such redaction. The Bureau shall notify the requesting party if such redaction is not practicable.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- Any cost to the War Records Bureau to redact social security numbers upon request and provide notification, if necessary, can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.
- Any cost to the Department of Veterans Affairs to modify an existing form used for this purpose is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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